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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Joanne Bourguignon
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Makarand P. Gore

Application No.: 10/044,507

Filed: January 11, 2002

Title: Dye-Based Fuel Indicator System for Fuel Cells

Examiner: Julian A. Mercado

Art Unit: 1745

Docket No.: 10012194-1

Date: December 17, 2004

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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 15, 2004, please amend the application as follows:

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TRANSMITTAL LETTER FOR RESPONSE/AMENDMENT

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is/are the following in the above-identified application:

- (X) Response/Amendment () Petition to extend time to respond
() New fee as calculated below () Supplemental Declaration
(X) No additional fee
() Other: (fee \$)

CLAIMS AS AMENDED BY OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY						
(1) FOR	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	(6) RATE	(7) ADDITIONAL FEES
TOTAL CLAIMS	19	MINUS	20	= 0	X \$18	\$ 0
INDEP. CLAIMS	3	MINUS	3	= 0	X \$88	\$ 0
[] FIRST PRESENTATION OF A MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM					+ \$300	\$ 0
EXTENSION FEE	1ST MONTH \$110.00	2ND MONTH \$430.00	3RD MONTH \$980.00	4TH MONTH \$1530.00		\$ 0
OTHER FEES						\$
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$ 0

Charge \$ 0 to Deposit Account 08-2025. At any time during the pendency of this application, please charge any fees required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 08-2025 pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25. Additionally please charge any fees to Deposit Account 08-2025 under 37 CFR 1.16 through 1.21 inclusive, and any other sections in Title 37 of the Code of Federal Regulations that may regulate fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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Typed Name: Joanne Bourguignon

Signature: J. Bourguignon

Respectfully submitted,

Makarand P. Gore

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Robert W. Bergstrom

Attorney/Agent for Applicant(s)

Reg. No. 39,906

Date: DEC. 17, 2004